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THURSDAY .....SEPTEMBER 6, 1894.

Democratic Nominees.

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Tenth District—W. C. Newlands, of Caldwell
Eleventh District—J. L. Webb, of Cleveland.
Twelfth District—George A. Jones, of Macon.

NEWS AND COMMENTS.

The Cunard steamship Lucania sailed from Queenstown to Sandy Hook in 5 days, 8 hours and 30 minutes, thus breaking all previous records by 51 minutes.

September 12th and 13th the North Carolina road and improvement association will hold a State road conference in Charlotte. Delegates are expected to attend from all portions of the State.

The capitol at Washington has cost more than $30,000,000. It covers three and one-half acres, the dome is 307 feet high and 135 in diameter, and is exceeded in size only by St. Peter's in Rome, St. Paul's in London, the Invalides in Paris and St. Isaac's in Petersburg.

Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, who recently returned from Europe, says that judging from the conversation he had with statesmen in England, France and Germany, he is satisfied the time is not far distant when there will be an international agreement as to the coinage of silver.

The aldermanic finance committee of New York city has fixed the tax rate for the coming year at $1.79 per $100. Last year it was $1.82. The rate fixed is the lowest for over 30 years. In 1889 it sank below 2 per cent for the first time since 1863. That year it was $1.95; the next year it was $1.97.

The following is the Republican State Executive Committee: A. E. Holden, Chairman; H. L. Grant, J. W Goslen, James H. Young, J. C. Dancey, R. O. Patterson and A. R. Middleton, from the State at large; E. A. White, J. J. Martin, C. D. Waddell, J. M. Brekwith, Tyre Glenn, G. H. Lennon, Z. V. Walser, E. S. Walton and G. W. Crawford from the districts.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1, 1893: Galveston, 1,021,724; New Orleans, 1 893,094; Mobile, 215,116; Savannah, 969,430; Charleston, 407,691; Wilmington, 189,840; Norfolk, 502,194; Baltimore, 63,674; New York, 108,387; Boston, 101,854; Newport News, 49,560; Philadelphia, 51,937; West Point, Va., 239,352; Brunswick, 99,320; Velasco, 8,042; Port Royal, 77,860; total, 5,999,068. Deduct 67,088 bales from the net receipts since September 1st making the corrected total 5,931,980 bales.

Very significant, indeed, according to the Baltimore *Sun*, are the figures from the Bureau of Statistics showing the exports from the United States in the eleven months ended May 31, 1894. The total was $834,000,000, against $872,000,000 in the like period of the preceding year, an increase of $52,000,000. But more than half of this increase was in exports from the South, showing the decided revival of business activity in that section. The exports from Southern ports aggregated $285,700,000, or $27,000,000 more than in eleven months of the year ended May 31, 1893. Baltimore's exports aggregated $73,963,000; those of Charleston, $13,028,130; Galveston, $34,985,000; New Orleans, $79,373,000; Newport News $13,638,000; Norfolk and Portsmouth, $10,039,000; Pensacola, $3,694,000; Richmond, $3,965,000; Savannah, $24,815,000; Wilmington, $6,999,000.

The Republican Senators whose terms will expire in March next are: Joseph M. Carey, Wyoming; William Chandler, New Hampshire; S. M. Cullom, Illinois; N. F. Dixon, Rhode Island; J. N. Dolph, Oregon; William P. Frye, Maine; A. Higgins, Delaware; G. F. Hoar, Massachusetts; C. F. Manderson, Nebraska; J. McMillan, Michigan; P. F. Pettigrew, South Dakota; T. C. Power, Montana; G. S. Shoup, Idaho; W. D. Washburn, Minnesota; J. F. Wilson, Iowa; and E. O. Wolcott, of Colorado. The Democrats are: J. H. Berry, Arkansas; M. C. Butler, South Carolina; D. Caffery, Louisiana; J. N. Camden, West Virginia; R. Coke, Texas; I. G. Harris; Tennessee; E. Hunton, Virginia; W. Lindsay, Kentucky; J. Martin, Kansas; A. J. McLaurin, Mississippi; J. R. McPherson, New Jersey; J. T. Morgan, Alabama; M. W. Ransom, T. J. Jarvis, North Carolina; and P. Walsh, Georgia.

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

Notice is given to the stockholders of the Southern Railway company that a general meeting will be held in Richmond, Virginia, on October 26th, at which there will be submitted for their approval a proposed mortgage to the Central Trust company, trustee, of $120,000,000, due 1994, with interest at 5 per cent., payable in gold. ——The next encampment of Knights of Pythias will be in Indianapolis. ——Seventy thousand strangers visited Washington city last week. ——The action of the Toronto division in carrying a British flag in the Pythian parade at Washington, is the subject of much discussion among Knights. Gen. Carnahan upholds them, and says the Americans did the same thing in Toronto.—— The President last week appointed thirty-eight postmasters for New York State. Some of these had been appointed before, but the Senate had not acted on their cases. Three were men who had been rejected by the Senate. ——Abbe Bruneu, a French clergyman, was guillotined at Laval, France, for murder, robbery and arson in the presence of 8,000 people. ——Texans fear that under the reduced customs duties on cattle thousands of them will be brought to their State from Mexico, fattened on the grass there, then put on the market. —— The Republican State convention voted almost unanimously for fusion. It endorses Worth for Treasurer, and Faircloth, Furches, Clark and Connor for Supreme court judges. ——There is a smallpox epidemic at Milwaukee. —— Governor Waite is being tried before a United States commission for being in a conspiracy which opened letters addressed to another person. ——Three men in West Virginia, under arrest on the charge of assassination were turned loose by the guard to prevent a crowd lynching them, and seek shelter in the mountains.—— The Breckinridge Congressional contest causes a fight between two friends which ends in the death of one of them. ——The Labor commission has adjourned to meet in Washington city, where written opinions on the subject of prevention of strikes will be received. —— The body of a murdered man was found in a sealed freight car at Mobile. The car contained grain from the West. ——A posse surrounded and captured Jim Murray alias "Greasy Jim" at Mississippi City last week. Murray is a desperado who killed several men. He wantonly murdered officer Cotter in New Orleans July 26. ——A dispatch from Anniston, Ala., announces the death of Hon. John Martin McElroy, State Superintendent of Education, and at the time of his death a prominent candidate for Congress from the Fourth district. ——The Republicans of the Fourth Congressional district nominated T. C. Milliken, of Randolph for Congress. —— The returns of listed taxables for this year show wonderful increase in the number of hogs in this State. ——The famous North Carolina trotting stallion Pamlico died at Hartford, Conn. ——The situation in Peru has become serious. Many provisions of the constitution have been suspended, including the writ of habeas corpus, and the President is clothed with Dictatorial power. ——The Atlantic Coast Line put on its new fast train, September 3rd, from New York to Augusta and other Georgia points, over the new road just completed from Sumter to Denmark.—— William Chatfield, of Aiken, S. C., was shot and mortally wounded by a policeman of that town. ——Ex-Vice President Levi P. Morton has issued a statement which says that his candidacy for the New York Gubernatorial nomination is in the hands of delegates to the Convention. ——The Populists of the Eighth Virginia district have nominated J. S. Mason, of Fauquier county, for Congress. ——Harrie C. Ansley, heretofore acting treasurer, has been appointed treasurer of the Southern Railway Company, with office in Washington, D. C. ——Bradstreet's says: At all but a few cities from which special telegrams are received favorable influences are shown to have been at work, resulting to still further improvement in the business situation since the settlement of the tariff question. It is noteworthy that the financial condition of Texas merchants is said to be better than for years. One of the most interesting trade features consequent on the new tariff is reported from Galveston, that an export order to the West Indies of 10,000 barrels of flour has been canceled, by reason of the Spanish retaliatory duty. Galveston's banana trade expects to be hurt also, owing to lack of return cargoes for fruit steamers. General trade at Baltimore is quite encouraging, owing to the somewhat unexpectedly large number of buyers in all lines from the South and West, whose purchases have resulted in quite an improvement over last week. ——Hons. Chauncey Black and Lawrence Gardner will be among the speakers at the convention of State Democratic clubs in Raleigh September 20th. —— Robert J. paced a mile in 2:03¼. ——Japanese warships are bombarding Port Arthur. ——A car on the Asheville and Sulphur Springs street railway became unmanageable and jumped the track at a carve. Several persons were injured. Salt had been sprinkled on the track. ——The Southern Development convention in session in Washington adjourned to meet in Washington at some future day to be named. It adopted plans looking to a permanent exhibition in Washington and the formation of a Southern Development bureau. ——Citizens of Maryland have organized a horse show association. The first exhibition will be at Baltimore, October 22nd to 27th. Five thousand dollars and other special prizes will be offered. ——The Cunarder, Campania breaks the record on the eastward trip, making the fast time of 5 days, 10 hours and 47 minutes. ——Two towns in Texas were flooded to the depth of four feet by a cloud burst. ——Hong Kong has been declared free from the plague. ——There are 160 new cases of cholera and eighteen deaths from that disease in Myzlowitz in Prussian Silesia. ——The Vigilant and the Satanita raced Friday, when the former was nearly over the course, with the Satanita far in the rear, the wind failed entirely and the judges declared the race off. British and Americans both say the decision was unfair. ——A large number of Japanese bodies are found floating in the water at the mouth of Tatung river. ——Fire was started among hundreds of boats moored in the Canton river and many of them were burned. A great many Chinese jumped into the river and many more were burned to death. Over 1,000 lives were lost.

Call for a Convention of Democratic Clubs.

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 28.

To the Democratic Clubs of North Carolina and the Young Democracy:

By a unanimous vote of the State Democratic Executive committee, at a meeting held in Raleigh, August 27th inst., the Executive committee of the State Association of Democratic clubs was requested to call a convention of the Democratic clubs of the State to meet in Raleigh, N. C., on the 20th of September next, at 12 o'clock M.; and as the great Democratic party has named its standard-bearers, and as another great struggle for Democratic supremacy is at hand, and as there is yet work to be done—work in behalf of the complete fulfilment of those great cardinal pledges of the party so dear to patriotic North Carolinians who refuse to accept the results of recent legislation in Congress as the close of the war, and as it is incumbent on the young Democracy to see that its share in this great struggle is well and faithfully performed:

I, therefore, as President of the State Association of Democratic clubs, call you to meet in convention in our capital city of Raleigh, on Thursday the 20th day of September next at 12 o'clock, noon.

The objects of this convention are for the formal opening of the campaign and the giving of the keynote for the coming fray, to foster the organization of Democratic clubs in every township in North Carolina, to increase our facilities for promulgating Democratic principles, and to actively aid the regular Democratic organization. To these ends we invoke the co-operation of all men, the active support of the Democratic press throughout the State, and we especially invite the participation of our Democratic nominess; we also desire that the county chairmen and township chairmen of our party's regular organization, in every county, lend us their aid in making this convention one of great demonstration.

Gentlemen of national reputation will be invited and are expected to lend us their presence, and Senators Ransom and Jarvis, and our members of Congress and nominees for Congress will be urged to meet with us; from these we expect to hear the keynote of the fray, as the campaign will be formally opened on that day.

We urge the immediate reorganization of all clubs now on the rolls of the association, the formation of new clubs in every town, village and township in the State, and the election of delegates to the convention by every club. We desire that the membership rolls of the clubs embrace every Democrat of their respective sections.

Our constitution provides that each club shall be entitled to ten (10) delegates and a like number of alternates, and one additional delegate and one additional alternate for every twenty-five (25) members of a club in good standing.

The certificates of presidents and secretaries of clubs will constitute the credentials of delegates, and such certificates should set forth the number of members borne on the club roster at the time of naming delegates. Delegates and other club members attending the convention will be entitled to reduced rates of board at the hotels, and to special railroad rates. Full particulars will be published later.

We have the honor to be your obedient servants.

J. S. CARR, President.
B. C. BECKWITH, Secretary.

Blank forms of constitutions for the government of clubs and full instructions for the organization of clubs can be had on application to B. C. Beckwith, Secretary, Raleigh, N. C.

(Democratic papers please copy.)

The Seven Wonders of Corea.

News and Courier.

Corea, like the world of the ancients, has its "seven wonders." Briefly stated they are as follows: First, a hot mineral spring near Kin-Shantoa, the healing properties of which are believed by the people to be miraculous. No matter what disease may afflict the patient a dip in the water proves efficacious.

The second wonder is two springs, situated at a considerable distance from each other; in fact, they have the breadth of the entire peninsula between them. They have two peculiarities—when one is full the other is always empty; and, notwithstanding the fact that they are connected by a subterranean passage, one is bitter and the other pure and sweet. The third wonder is a cold wave cave—a cavern from which a wintry wind perpetually blows. The force of the wind from the cave is such that a strong man cannot stand before it. A forest that cannot be eradicated is the fourth wonder. No matter what injury is done to the roots of the trees, which are large pines, they will sprout up again directly, like the phœnix from her ashes.

The fifth is the most wonderful of all. It is the famous "floating stone." It stands, or seems to stand in front of the palace erected in its honor. It is an irregular cube of great bulk. It appears to be resting on the ground, free from support on all sides; but strange to say, two men at opposite ends of a rope may pass it under the stone without encountering any obstacle whatever. The sixth wonder is the "hot stone," which, from remote ages, has lain glowing with heat on the top of a high hill. The seventh and last Corean wonder is a drop of the sweat of Buddha. For thirty paces around the temple in which it is enshrined not a blade of grass will grow. There are no trees or flowers inside the sacred square. Even the animals decline to profane a spot so holy.

There are, says a New York newspaper, about 10 Afro-American lawyers in New York, 13 in Boston, and more than 25 in Chicago.

The Farmer and Modern Invention.

Scientific American.

In modern life one of the most striking features that has been and is being developed more and more rapidly is the interdependence of the members of the human family. As the population increases, the hermit or quasi-hermit life so frequent years ago, when the farmer for months in the winter saw hardly any faces except those of his own family, and when he conducted his farming operations in almost complete independence of the rest of the world, is fast becoming an impossibility. In old times the farm was a self-supporting world in itself. The wells, springs and cisterns supplied water; the domestic animals got all their food from it, and it produced its own fertilizers. By rotation of crops, by letting land lie fallow and by the use of fertilizing material produced on the farm, the land was kept fertile. Rain descended from the clouds without any human agency. Now the conditions are very different. The farmer's children wish to compete with city children in education and general culture. But outside of the personal aspect, of which this is but one element, modern conditions affect his life in a much broader sense. The tendency now is to work the soil in large areas devoted to a single crop, and to use machinery in all farming operations. For many years past the American inventor has been busy inventing most ingenious machines for cultivating the ground, for sowing the seed and for harvesting the crops. On account of the inventor's work the Western farms, with fields of wheat reaching to the horizon, cultivated by steam-drawn plows, and whose crops are harvested by great machines drawn by teams of many horses, have become a possibility. The great cereal crop of the United States is due to the mechanical inventor.

In the same order of things is the modern fertilizer. For different crops different fertilizers are made in factories. As the great natural sources of phosphoric acid were overdrawn, the European agriculturist has utilized the finely-ground slag of the basic steel process. The farmer depends no longer on his barnyard, but purchases his plant food in the most approved form, made in factories from the most unpromising sources of supply. The Atlantic coast is patrolled by steamers whose occupation is the catching of menhaden or bony fish. After the oil is extracted from these fish, the farmer has a claim on what is left as a source of nitrogen for his crops. South American nitrate of soda is another source of nitrogen. The German mines supply him with his potash, and the blending of all the elements is effected in the fertilizer factories, whose processes are guided by the most exact chemical analyses of their materials. Even in the matter of local transportation the farmer is being taken care of. The electric road, in whose operations, heedless of vested rights, so many highways have been surrendered, bids fair to revolutionize the aspects of rural life. It is believed by many that the electric road will eventually haul the farmer's products to the cities or railroad stations, and the improvement of country roads has actually been discouraged by those who believe in the highest development of this form of traction.

Where the process of development of modern life will end, it is hard to see. The farmer, who would seem to be the last to be subjected to modern scientific advancements, is really, speaking relatively, the one most affected. Mechanical, chemical and electrical science have changed his entire status. Among inventors the farm is recognized as the field for most useful work in invention. Man may yet learn to dispense with coal, and the steam engine may be relegated to the past. The self-contained energies of the cosmic system may yet be used to replace the motor which during the last decades has replaced them. Windmills and waterwheels represent the uncivilization of cosmic energy, and mankind may yet be driven to more extensive use of the mechanical powers of nature. But for food production, it seems as if the soil for many years to come must be the only resource. Synthetic chemistry has to make enormous advances before it can produce palatable food. Already it has done something in producing glucose and saccharine as sugar substitutes, but until the synthesis on the large scale of carbon and hydrogen is affected, the synthetic chemistry will be inchoate. In the modern march of progress, the farmer will hold his own. The changes in his processes, the abolishment of the quiet rural life, and of the farm as an almost self-contained unit of existence, are brought about by the devotion to his interests of the enlightenment of the world, and the world in its turn is more and more dependent on him.

Nebraska Farmers Leaving.

New York Sun.

A week ago we printed a dispatch from western Nebraska that a good many of the farmers there, discouraged by the bad crops of successive years, had recently left the State and gone southward in search of a farming region which suffers less from climatic vicissitudes. We now learn from the North Carolina papers that an advanced body of these farmers have arrived in that State, and have given assurance that, if they like the looks of things there, they will be followed by a large number of their Nebraska brethren. We need not doubt the assurance, for we have a dispatch from Plattsmouth, Neb., that long trains of canvas-covered wagons are constantly passing through that place filled with disheartened settlers who are anxious to find homes elsewhere, and that as many as 10,000 of them have left since the failure of this year's crops. There is news of a similar movement from western Kansas, and also from eastern Colorado. The farmers all through that part of the country say that it is too hard for them, and that the crops and weather there are too uncertain, the blizzards, droughts, and insects being very destructive.

The North Carolina papers offer a welcome to these people, tell them that land can be bought or leased there on easy terms, and declare that the Old North State is just the place for them.

Other Southern States are desirous of attracting the fugitives from Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, and Oklahoma. It is probable that the population of the South will thus be enlarged within the next few years. The hardest-up farmers in this country are in those regions which those settlers are leaving.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Knights of Pythias.

A press despatch from Washington says: Indianapolis will be the place selected for the biennial encampment of the Knights of Pythias in 1896. This has been practically decided on through the withdrawal of the other contestants for the honor, Boston and Minneapolis.

Notwithstanding the failure of railroad companies to make low rates to Washington, 70,000 people have visited the city since the Pythian encampment began. About two-thirds of these were Pythians and their friends.

In the big parade on Tuesday the Toronto division of the Uniform Rank carried a British flag, and this has been one of the principal topics of comment among the Pythians from this side of the line. Major-General Carnahan, commander-in-chief of the Uniform Rank, is a staunch supporter of the action of the Canadians. He says there is not a division in the order more loyal to its interests or which takes a more active part in its affairs. This is the fourth consecutive encampment which this particular Toronto division has attended. He says it was perfectly proper for them to carry the Union Jack, and he holds that it would have been just as proper for the Canadians to have objected when, at the encampment in Toronto in 1886, all the divisions carried Stars and Stripes.

The Supreme Lodge of Knights at its morning session to-day elected officers for the ensuing term of two years. Walter B. Richie, of Lima, Ohio, was promoted from Supreme Vice Chancellor to Supreme Chancellor and he was succeeded as Supreme Vice Chancellor by Phillip T Colgrove, of Hastings, Michigan. Albert Steinhart, of Alabama, was made Supreme Prelate. Dr. R. L. C. White, of Tennessee, who has held the office for many years, was re elected to the Supreme Keeper of Records and Seals. Thos. G. Sample, of Pennsylvania, who was some time ago appointed to fill the vacancy of Supreme Master of Exchequer, caused by the failure of Mr. Wiley, of Wilmington, Del., which created a deficiency of some $70,000, was elected to fill that office for the full term. A. D. Gardiner, of New York, was made Supreme Master of Arms. James Moulson, of New Brunswick, was elected Supreme Master of the Inner Guard, while John W. Thompson, of Washington, D. C., was made Supreme Master of the Outer Guard. John A. Hinsey, of Wisconsin, was made chairman of the board of control.

All of the officers were elected unanimously, with the exception of Philip T. Colgrove, as Supreme Vice Chancellor. Some opposition to his election was manifested, but after a brief debate he was victorious by a vote of 99 to 14.

Memorial services were held at brigade headquarters to-day in memory of Past Supreme Chancellor Shaw.

Brig. Gen. Halsey, of Wisconsin, delivered a brief address, eulogizing Mr. Shaw as a Pythian and member of Congress. The Wisconsin division attended in a body. The Monroe band rendered appropriate selections.

The Uniform Rank of the Pythians was inspected and reviewed in the White lot this afternoon by Maj. Gen. Schofield, of the army. Notwithstanding the fact that the review was a repetition of that of yesterday, a large and enthusiastic crowd witnessed it. The Knights wore their full dress uniform.

Pamlico, the $30,000 Stallion Dead.

Newbern Journal.]

Pamlico, the celebrated North Carolina Stallion, the winner of fourteen races, will win no more. He died on Wednesday the 29th inst., in Charter Oak Park, Hartford, Conn. A telegram to Messrs. Hackburn & Willett brought the news.

Pamlico was raised by Mr. W. P. Bachelor, of Raleigh. After Pamlico showed his mettle, Mr. Bachelor sold a half interest in him for $10,000 and retained the other half.

The fastest time Pamlico ever made was 2;10¼.

Pamlico had a record of 2:10 gained in a winning race at Terre-Haute two weeks ago. The last race trotted by Pamlico was at Chicago last week, where he defeated Muta Wilkes and a lot of others in fast time. He was one of the largest winners on the trotting turf for the last two seasons, defeating such famous trotters as Lord Clinton, 2:03¾; Phoebe Wilkes, 2:11; Agote, 2:09; Pledley, 2:08¼, and Ryland T. 2:07¾.

Pamlico in Vermont was foaled in 1885. His sire was Meander, 2:26½, the well-known trotter, and his dam was Birthday by Daniel Lambert, son of Ethan Allen.

Pamlico was owned jointly at the time of his death by E. D. Spurr, of Greendale, Ky., and W. P. Batchelor, of Raleigh, N. C.

What is a Palindrome?

A Palindrome is a sentence that reversed reads the same as when taken from beginning to end. This for example, "Now Eve won." Read backwards or forwards it is the same. But you cannot reverse the sentence of death that a neglected cold involves, unless you at once take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This is the great blood food and blood purifier. It is a sovereign remedy for all diseases due to impoverished blood, such as consumption, bronchitis, weak lungs, scrofula, and their kindred.

LITERARY NOTICES.

MR. JULIAN RALPH is now on his way to the Orient, where he will make for *Harper's Weekly* and *Harper's Magazine* studies of the topsy-turvy conditions that obtain upon the world's farther side. Upon his arrival in Japan he will quickly forward accounts of whatever he may witness of the war between that country and China, of the gathering of the naval representatives of all Christendom, and of the peculiar scenes attendant upon the war. He will be met at Yokohoma by Mr. C. D Weldon, the artist, who has long been familiar with Oriental life, and who will co-operate with Mr. Ralph in this work.

IT takes 3200 mail cars to distribute Uncle Sam's mail, and the New York division alone requires 819 railway postclerks to handle it. Last year these clerks handled 1,207,220,577 pieces of mail bound past their division, of which 753,976,835 were letters. To get a clear idea of the immense amount of mail matter in this number of letters, suppose they averaged four inches in length and are laid end to end. They will stretch over a line 2975 miles long. All railway post-clerks must be quick and intelligent and have a thorough knowledge of the geography of the whole country. In the second division there are 18,000 post offices, and the clerks know every one. This system of railway post-offices has proved so valuable (says the writer from whose interesting article in *Harper's Young People* for August 21st these facts are drawn) that it is now being operated on the transatlantic steamships.

AMONG the open-air papers in the September *Harper's Magazine* will be a description of "Early Summer in Japan," by Alfred Parsons, with eigtheen illustrations.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE.

This ideal magazine prints not only timely articles on events and places, but stories of the right length to read aloud by the evening lamp. The September *Harper's* contains "A New England Prophet," the story of an Adventism alarm, by Mary E. Wilkins; "The General's Bluff," founded on a frontier campaign of General Crook, by Owen Wister; "The Tug of War," a tale of English men and women in Greece; chapters of "The Golden House," Charles Dudley Warner's novel of New York society, and the first of a two-part story of Narragansett Pier, by Brander Matthews.

HARPER'S BAZAR.

Harper's Bazar is presenting a great variety of fascinating styles for the early autumn, illustrated by Sandoz and Chapuis, the famous Parisian artists, and selected from Worth's most distinctive creations. These autumn toilettes for out-door and in-door occasions surpass anything previously shown in a fashion journal. The September issue will be enriched by elegant gowns and hats for walking and driving, and by beautiful calling costumes. A brilliant novelette by M. McClelland, "St. John's wooing," will run through several numbers. The scene of this story is in the far South, and it is intensely interesting from start to finish.

The Good Time Coming.

A Philadelphia chemist points out that several common articles used in preparing food, among them sugar, mustard, butter and lemon juice, have been exactly reproduced. He also has the hardihood to predict that synthetic chemistry will yet give us artificial meats as good as the real article. In an interview published in the Philadelphia Record, he says: "I expect to see synthetic steaks, roasts and chops entered upon the bills of fare at our leading hotels and restaurants, and they will be prepared so artistically as to appeal to the sense of beauty as well as to the appetite. At first, of course, in order to appease the natural prejudices against anything so novel, a choice will be afforded between the real and artificial; but eventually the killing of animals for food will be regarded in all civilized countries as barbarous." If the chemists were indeed to give us meats as palatable as real flesh and blood, it would well-nigh work a revolution in the domestic economy of many households. The apothecary would succeed to the throne of power, so long held by the cook, and the enterprising drug store proprietor might be expected to put in accommodations for table boarders.

"Oh, stay, the maiden said, and rest
Thy weary head upon this breast."
"I can't sai- he, "I must climb the hills,
The summer is past, I now sell pills,
Not the pills of old-fashioned make
That caused a dreadful stomach ache—
But wee little things, that you e'en can smile,
As they gently remove their enemy—bile.
Who use them once, thereafter are zealots,
In praise of 'Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.'"

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Rough Bicycle Test.

"Mr Geo. Fitzsimmons, accompanied by Mr. J. C. Wood, of the Gormully & Jeffery Manufacturing Company, of Washington, D. C., rode from this city to High Point, yesterday, and back, a distance of thirty miles over the R. & D. R. R. The ride was made to test a new bicycle of very light weight. The machine stood the rough jolting over the ties and trestles without a scratch."

The above was taken from the Greensboro Record. Mr. Fitzsimmons has sold nearly 25 Ramblers this season, and has ordered a new No. 9 Rambler Racer. The wheel above referred to was a 26 pound Rambler, No. 8. Do you ride a Rambler?

If not, call at A. J. Pemberton & Co.'s and examine the beautiful copper rim Ramblers. Price $125.00—all styles. To good parties we will sell on time.

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We now carry a line of cheaper bicycles, the "Ideal."

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We have a cheap line of cushion tire boy's and girl's wheels at $15 to $40.

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Commissioner's Sale of Land

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court, I will at 12 o'clock on Saturday September 29th, 1894, at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., expose to sale by public auction for cash, a tract of land about 2 to 3 miles north of Fayetteville on Cross Creek, containing 160 to 175 acres, being the land commonly known as "The John Buie Place."

Said sale is to make assets to pays debts, and is to be subject to approval of Court.

N. W. RAY, Commissioner.

Aug. 29, 1894—ts

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., SEPT. 6, 1894.

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POLITICS.

The successful way in which the recent Democratic State convention dealt with the difficult problems which confronted it, gave the Democracy great heart. It removed all fear of the necessity of making a defensive campaign. The action of the opposition since has still further strengthened our hands. It is plain that the incongruity of the elements which the Republicans and Populists have determined to fuse—so far as the action of their conventions can compass that result—is becoming more and more apparent to the parties involved. We had a striking illustration of this here in Fayetteville on Monday. The Populist county convention that met here then, nominated for its leading office, Mr. A. H. Slocomb, a lifelong Republican on national affairs, a gold-bug and high protectionist. Their orator of the day, our other friend, Mr. Guthrie, is a silverite of the most pronounced type, a low tariff man, and such an extreme income taxer that he declared that his Populist party favored the confiscation of incomes beyond a certain point! We believe the Populists themselves have been unable to restrain a laugh at the situation.

So it is over the State.

In this connection, the reader will find it interesting to carefully examine the extract, elsewhere, from Representative Pigott's speech (referred to by us last week.) The fifty billions of dollars called for in the proposed Populist legislation, supply a somewhat startling contrast to Democratic reduction of taxes as detailed in the tariff documents, also printed by us in to-day's issue.

TARIFF REDUCTIONS.

The more the new tariff bill is looked into, the better it appears. Our expectations were perhaps too great. It is difficult to undo in a day the elaborate mischief which the protectionists have been a third of a century in building up.

In another column will be found the full text of two of the interesting documents which we have lately been quoting from. One is the careful work of Mr. Schoenhof, as used in the speech of Representative Somers, showing the saving to the people, under the new bill, in the matter of woolens alone—over one hundred and forty millions of dollars! The other is a list of leading articles of common use, grouped according to the per centage of reduction of duty.

The statement that the bill just passed is the best this generation has known, is plainly not an exaggeration.

THE GOOD ROADS CONFERENCE.

Elsewhere is an article from the Charlotte Observer, which we copy at the request of the State Geologist, calling attention to the Good Roads Conference which is appointed to be held at Charlotte on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. In the report of the proceedings of the County Commissioners of this county, published in our local columns to-day, will be found a list of the delegates appointed from Cumberland. All these gentlemen are urged to attend. The movement is of the utmost importance to our people.

As we have several times pointed out, Mecklenburg has taken a considerable step forward in securing this almost indispensable concomitant of the highest civilization. The delegates, therefore, will be able to see the practical working of the system as applied to the up country, where red clay is supplemented by convenient supplies of stone fit for macadamizing. While the ordinary dirt, or unmetaled, roads are better in our sandy country, taking the year round, the absence of rock makes the problem of first-class roads more difficult. No doubt our delegates will be able to learn something of value on this point, also.

JUDGE CONNOR.

Judge Connor, we rejoice to say, has written a letter to his old friend, Hon. George Howard, of Tarboro, in which he effectually sets at rest the uncertainty that prevailed in some quarters concerning his letter to Mr. Marion Butler in the matter of his nomination for the Supreme Court bench by the Fusionists. In the course of his letter he uses this unmistakeable language:

My strong attachment to the principles of the Democratic party and belief that its continued control of the administration of the Government is essential to the welfare of the State and nation, and my determination that my name shall not be used to jeopardize its success, impel me to repeat that I will not only not consent to the use of my name in opposition to its nominees, but to declare positively and without the slightest reservation, that if my wishes shall continue to be disregarded and I should be elected, I would not accept the office, qualify or serve.

This is very gratifying to Judge Connor's hosts of friends, who have a profound respect for his lofty character and great attainments and ability.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Read Col. Carr's appeal on the 1st page, to the Democratic Clubs. The 20th of September will be a big day at the State capital.

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The State will make no experiment, well says the Statesville Landmark, "if it shall elect the Democratic ticket this year. Shepherd, Clark, MacRae and Burwell have been tried upon the bench of our highest court, and have measured up to the full height of their duty. The administration of the office of Treasurer by Col. S. McD. Tate has been unexceptionable. In truth, he is about the fittest man in the State for the place he holds. There is no reason on earth why the people should turn down any of these gentlemen, and the people of North Carolina never do anything without a reason for it. Therefore we argue these gentlemen will be re-elected, as they deserve to be."

The Late Mr. William Sandford.

Older residents of Fayetteville will be grieved to learn of the death of Mr. William Sandford, which occurred at his home at Gadsden, Alabama, on July 30th. It is a sad evidence of the changes wrought by the war, no less than of the vicissitudes of life, that the death of this splendid representative of a family that was in the very forefront of our social life at its outbreak, should find announcement in a Fayetteville newspaper so long after the event took place. We are indebted to our venerable friend, Major Campbell, for a copy of the Lynchburg, Virginia, News, of July 31st, last, which contains the following:

A telegram was received in this city yesterday morning announcing the critical illness at Gadsden, Alabama, of Mr. William Sanford, a brother of Mrs. R. H. Glass, and a former resident of Lynchburg. Later in the day another message came conveying the sad intelligence of Mr. Sandford's death. No other particulars were given, hence it is assumed that his illness and death were sudden.

The deceased will be remembered by older residents of Lynchburg as having had charge of the Western Union telegraph office in this city for several years prior to the war. He will also be well remembered by many as the color-bearer of the Lynchburg Home Guard when that company enlisted in the Confederate army. Mr. Sandford was a native of Fayetteville, N. C., where he was born May 24, 1833. He early made himself master of the art of telegraphy, and in 1856 came to Lynchburg to prosecute that business. He was here when the Home Guard was organized on November 8, 1859, and was made color sergeant of the company, a position for which he was peculiarly fitted by nature, being a man of superb proportions, standing six feet two inches clear. In Dr. Blackford's "Annals of the Lynchburg Home Guard," among the incidents recited is the presentation of a stand of colors to the command by the ladies of Lynchburg, March 30, 1860, through Austin M. Trimble. Captain Samuel Garland, Jr., received the colors in a handsome speech and turned them over to Sergeant Sanford in a few brave words, the latter responding with grace and spirit. When the Home Guard went to war Mr. Sandford marched out with them and was in active service for twelve months, after which he was detailed for duty as a telegrapher. At the close of the war he went to Mobile to take charge of the telegraph office there, where he remained for eighteen years, going later to Gadsden.

There is not a soul, we believe, now residing in this city with any of the Sandford blood in his veins. Yet at the beginning of that prolific source of woes, the late war, there was the late Mr. John W. Sandford, the father of the deceased gentleman, a man of uncommon handsomeness and remarkable for his fine manners and high breeding; his wife, who was Miss Halliday, an accomplished daughter of one of the great old-time Fayetteville merchants; and their children, Robert, William, John, Marion, Mary, (who married French Strange, son of Judge Strange, and now of Atlanta,), Meta, (who is the Mrs. R. H. Glass mentioned in the above quotation,) Douglass, and Kate. Only Robert, Mrs. Glass, Douglass and Kate, (now Mrs. Birdsey, of Florida), we believe, are living. Douglass we think resides in Texas, Robert in Mobile.

It was a charming family, remarkable for good looks and good breeding. William and John, like their father, were splendid specimens of men, and Mrs. Glass was a regal beauty. The mother, as we have said, was of an old and wealthy Fayetteville family. The father, Mr. John W. Sandford, who was a Philadelphian, came to Fayetteville as an official of the U. S. Government in charge of the Branch Bank of the United States then located here; and here he married and settled. At his home on Dick Street, now the residence of Mr. A. H. Slocomb, he dispensed an elegant hospitality, and his sons and daughters were the loved friends of the belles and beaux of the day.

If we mistake not, Mr. William Sandford was one of the tall men who, with the late Mr. T. J. Robinson, headed the Independent Company. His elder brother Robert went off with the Company to Yorktown and the Bethel campaign, and Dr. John was a Surgeon in the Confederate Army.

Bladen County Convention.

The Wilmington Messenger contains the following account of the Bladen County Democratic Convention, which was held at Elizabethtown on the 1st instant, under the presidency of that splendid Democrat and able gentleman, Hon. C. C. Lyon:

ELIZABETHTOWN, N. C., Sept. 3.

The largest, most determined and most harmonious Democratic convention that has been held in Bladen county for several years, assembled here on last Saturday.

The committee on platform and resolutions made the following report, which was unanimously adopted:

1. We, the Democrats of Bladen county, in convention assembled, do hereby renew our allegiance to the Chicago platform of '92, as construed by the Southern Democracy, and also to the State platform of '94, fully believing that their policy when administered in our Government will relieve the depression of the country, bring the greatest good to the greatest number and insure to the American people the greatest benefits to be derived from any Governmental policy.

2. We endorse the action of the National House of Representatives in their gallant fight to lift from the shoulders of our toiling masses, the burdens of excessive taxation.

The candidates nominated were: For the House of Representatives, C. O. West; for clerk of the Superior court, G. F. Melvin; for sheriff, J. P. Council; for register of deeds, J. B. Gilliam; for treasurer, Dr. W. H. G. Lucas; for coroner, Mr. Bullard; for surveyor, Mr. Downing.

The following resolution was passed by the convention:

Resolved, That the county Executive committee provide for a primary election to be held in Bladen county, on the first Saturday in December, 1894, at which election the Democratic voters may express their choice for United States Senators, and the candidates receiving the highest votes shall be voted for by our Representative in the House.

The occasion was enlivened by the presence of Hon. John G. Shaw, the Democratic nominee for Congress in the Third district, who was called on by the convention and responded with a ringing speech for Democracy and in denunciation of Butler and other Populist leaders, who have led astray some of our good people.

Mr. Shaw will make a rousing campaign. He is in good trim, and will out-class and knock out whoever may be his opponent in the political arena.

C. C. LYON, Chairman.
W. D. CROMARTIE,
G. H. CURRIE, Secretaries.

Wild Result of Populist Legislation.

EXTRACT FROM SPEECH

Of Hon. James P. Piggot of Connecticut, in the House of Representatives, Aug. 13, 1894.

RECAPITULATION.

Without duplicating the amounts carried in the bills quoted where their modes or purposes are similar, the following recapitulation will show the sum total of appropriations required to meet the bills named:

Representative Davis's bill (No. 3436) providing for the loan to certain mortgage debtors is estimated to require not less than the sum of	$10,000,000,000
Representative Clover's bill (No. 6254, Fifty-second Congress) to loan to States, etc., 50 per cent of assessed valuation of property is estimated to require exceeding	12,000,000,000
Representative Clover's bill (No 3999 Fifty second Congress) is variously estimated to require the sum of from $8,000,000,000 to $15,000,000,000, say	10,000,000,000
Senator Peffer's bill (No. 976) to loan not exceeding $2,500 to any individual applying having real estate security provides for an immediate issue of not less than $700,000,000, and an ultimate issue of much more, but is not estimated in the total, being similar in principle to House bill 3436, above quoted.	1,000,000,000
Representative Kem's bill (No. 5446). where not included in previous estimates, would require an issue of not less than	1,000,000,000
Mr. Watson's various bills are not estimated, being included in their principles in previous timates.	
Representative Hudson's pension bill (H. R. 3186) would require the immediate issue of	1,500,000,000
Representative Davis's industrial army bill (H. R. 6767) would require an annual expenditure of	500,000,000
Senator Peffer's charity bill (S. 1300) appropiates	6,300,000
Representative Boen's bill (H. R. 7995), for internal improvements appropriates	500,000,000
With an annual appropriation in addition.	
Representative Boen's bill (H. R 5745) to exterminate the Russian thistle appropriates	1,000,000
Senator Peffer's rain water bill (No. 7896) makes an appropriation of	20,000,000
Total	$35,507,300,000

These estimates do not include any duplication nor many items of expenditure proposed in the bills named, nor do they include salaries of the thousands upon thousands of officials to be appointed under their provisions. As the total estimated money of the world, including paper, gold, silver, copper, brass and iron tokens does not exceed $10,100,000,000, it appears that the amount of money called for by the bills named is nearly five times the volume of the currency of the world. What our paper money would be worth under such circumstances any one of ordinary intelligence knows. It would be worth nothing at all.

On July 9, 1894, Senator Peffer submitted a resolution, of which the following is a copy:

In view of existing social and business conditions, and by way of suggesting subjects for remedial legislation; be it

Resolved by the Senate of the United States, First. That all public functions ought to be exercised by and through public agencies.

Second. That all railroads employed in interstate commerce ought to be brought into one organization under control and supervision of public officers; that charges for transportation of persons and property ought to be uniform throughout the country; that wages of employes ought to be regulated by law and paid promptly in money.

Third. That all coal beds ought to be owned and worked by the States or by the Federal Government, and the wages of all persons who work in the mines ought to be provided by law and paid in money when due.

Fourth. That all money used by the people ought to be supplied only by the Government of the United States; that the rate of interest ought to be uniform in all the States, not exceeding the net average increase of the permanent wealth of the people.

Fifth. That all revenues of the Government ought to be raised by taxes on real estate.

To carry out the provisions of these resolutions would require, at a very moderate estimate, some fifteen billions of dollars, making the total proposed expenditures upwards of fifty billions of dollars.

Among the other things that would follow such legislation it will be seen that the enormous amount of money necessary to carry on the Government is to be raised wholly and alone upon real estate.

Are the farmers of the country now ready to add to the burdens they have by a still further to carry out these plans?

Reduction Under the New Tariff.

ARTICLES REDUCED ONE HUNDRED PER CENT.

Paints, colors, etc., in part.
Potash, caustic, refined.
Burr stones, manufactured.
Cotton ties of iron or steel.
Copper—ore, and manufactures of.
Timber and Lumber.
Salt.
Binding twine.
Burlaps.
Bags for grain made of burlaps.
Bagging for cotton.
Wool unmanufactured.
Wool, tops, slubbing, and other wastes.
Wool, rags, mungo, and flocks.
Wool, noils.

ARTICLES REDUCED BETWEEN SEVENTY-FIVE AND ONE HUNDRED PER CENT.

Bar iron, and slabs, blooms or loops.
Spikes of wrought iron or steel.
Woolen cloths.
Woolen shawls.
Common pipes of clay.

114 ARTICLES REDUCED BETWEEN FIFTY AND SEVENTY-FIVE PER CENT, AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING.

Whiting, ground in oil (putty).
Soap.
Bicarbonate of soda.
Chains.
Penknives.
Carving or cooking knives.
Files.
Pistols.
Shotguns.
Lead in ore or in pigs and bars.
Lead pipes, sheets, shot, etc.
Zinc in sheets.
Cotton cloth
Cables, cordage, etc.
Blankets.
Hats of wool.
Flannels for underwear.
Dress goods.
Carpets.

370 ARTICLES REDUCED BETWEEN TWENTY-FIVE AND FIFTY PER CENT, AMONG WHICH ARE THE FOLLOWING.

Spirit varnishes.
Sulphur.
Brick.
Bottles.
Window glass.
Cylinder and crown glass, polished, unsilvered.
Plate glass.
Spectacles and eyeglasses.
Freestone, sandstone, granite, etc.
Iron ore.
Pig iron.
Scrap iron.
Bar iron, rolled or hammered.
Steel rails.
Tin plate.
Wire.
Anchors.
Anvils.
Hatchets and sledges, etc.
Bolts.
Cast iron vessels.
Hollow ware.
Razors.
Nails.
Needles.
Screws.
Leaf tobacco for cigar wrappers.
Horses.
Shirts and drawers.
Stockings.
Oil cloths.
Collars and cuffs.
Clothing, ready made.
Wood pulp.
Printing paper.
Pearl buttons.
Ivory buttons.
Corks.
Bituminous coal and shale.
Coke.
Matches.
Hats of fur.
Ladies' and children's gloves.
Men's gloves.
Slate pencils.

238 articles reduced under 25 per cent.

The rates are increased on 53 articles such as sawed boards of mahogany and ebony, hogs, olives, dressed meats, precious stones, etc.

The Democratic Tariff Gives Cheap Woolens.

EXTRACT FROM THE SPEECH OF

Hon. Peter J. Somers of Wisconsin, in the H. of R. Monday, August 13, 1894.

SAVING IN THE WOOL AND WOOLEN SCHEDULE.

By the adoption of this bill you save to the people of this country more than $141,000,000, as is shown by the statement I herewith present, made by the deputy appraiser of the port of New York:

A statement showing the amount saved to the consumer by the adoption of the Senate bill in place of the McKinley act, Schedule K, wool and woolens, prepared by J Schoenhof, deputy appraiser of the port of New York.

English cloth made in Leeds, imported into the port of New York, wool and cotton warp, 60 inches wide, weighing 11¼ ounces per yard: Cost per yard 1s 3d less 5 and 5 per cent. discount, 27 cents net per yard:

	Cents.
McKinley duty (38¼ cents per pound × 40 per cent. per yard).	39.80
Senate duty (40 per cent. per yard),	10 80
Saved to consumer,	29 00

The samples No. 1 to No. 6 attached to the respective statements represent actual importations made in the current year. The prices are the actual invoice prices as passed by the appraiser's department in New York.

English cloth, wool and cotton warp, imported into the port of New York, 54 inches wide, weight 13 ounces per yard: Cost per yard 1s. 2½d., less 7 per cent, 27 cents net per yard:

	Cents.
McKinley duty (38¼ cents per pound × 40 per cent. per yard),	42.00
Senate duty (40 per cent. per yard),	10.40
Saved to consumer,	31.60

English overcoatings, wool and cotton warp, imported into the port of New York, 50 inches wide, weight 26 ounces per yard: Price 1s. 9d. net per yard, 42 cents net per yard:

	Cents.
McKinley duty (33 cents per pound × 40 per cent. per yard),	70.45
Senate duty (40 per cent. per yard),	16.80
Saved to consumer,	53.65

Worsted coating, Bradford, England, imported into the port of New York, 57 inches wide, weight 20 ounces: Cost 2s. 9d. per yard, less 7 per cent., 62½ cents per yard:

	Cents.
McKinley duty (44 cents per pound × 50 per cent. per yard),	86½
Senate duty (50 per cent.) per yard,	31½
Saved to consumer,	55

French cashmere, imported into the port of New York, 45 inches wide: Cost 0.95 francs per meter net, 18 cents per yard:

	Cents.
McKinley duty (12 cents per square yard × 50 per cent), per yard,	.24
Senate duty (50 per cent.), per yard,	.9
Saved to consumer,	.15

French dress goods, challies, all wool, imported into the port of New York, 30 inches wide, weight 2½ ounces per yard: Cost per yard, 20½ cents net:

	Cents.
McKinley duty (12 cents per square yard × 50 per cent.), per yard,	.20
Senate duty (50 per cent), per yard.	.10
Saved to consumer,	.10

Balance sheet, showing the amount saved to the consumer by the adoption of the Senate bill in place of the McKinley act.

1892-'93. Imports of manufactures of wool,		$36,99 1,000
	Duties,	26,448,000
	Import value, duty paid,	73,441,000
1889-'90. Census year, domestic manufactures:		
Woolen goods,	$131,577,000	
Worsted goods,	79,194,000	
Hosiery and knit goods,	$67,241,000	
Deduct cotton hosiery,	17,600,000	
	50,341,000	
Carpets,	47,77 ,000	
		310,782,000
Value of domestic manufactures.		384,223,000
Add 33⅓ per cent. to cover wholesale and retail profits,		128,074,000
Cost of wool manufactures to consumers,		512,297, 00
Cost of wool manufactures under Senate on same amounts:		
Importations,	$36,963 000	
Duty, 45 per cent.	16,665,000	
	53,658,000	
Value of domestic manufactures, $310,000,000, reduced from an average of 100 per cent. duty to 45 per cent. rate as a result of free wool,	224,525,000	
	278,183,000	
Add 33⅓ per cent. as profits,	92,728,000	
		370,911,000
Amount saved to consumers on the woolen schedule only, under Senate bill,		141,386,000

The Good Roads Movement—The Approaching Meeting in Charlotte, Sept. 12th.

Charlotte Observer, of Aug. 28, 1894.

The movement for good roads in North Carolina has come to stay, and its progress must be encouraging to all public-spirited citizens. Largely attended and enthusiastic local meetings in the interest of better highways have been held recently at the State University, at Asheville, and at Raleigh, and on Sept. 12th and 13th the North Carolina Road Improvement Association will hold a State road conference at Charlotte. Delegates are expected from all portions of the State.

The road conference at Raleigh which was held last week, adopted the following resolutions concerning the Charlotte meeting:

Whereas, The North Carolina Road Improvement Association, which has recently been organized, is by distributing literature on the subject, by organizing branch associations in every county of the State, and in other ways endeavoring to arouse greater and more intelligent interest in the improvement of the public highways,

Resolved, That this conference appreciates and commends this important work of the North Carolina Road Improvement Association, and that it asks the county commissioners of every county, and the mayors of the several cities and towns, the boards of trade, the State and county agricultural societies, and all other industrial associations in the State to send delegates to the annual meeting of the association to be held in the city of Charlotte, September 12th and 13th next.

It is expected that there will be in attendance at this meeting several hundred representative citizens, some from the mountains, some from the seashore and from all middle North Carolina. To all of them Charlotte and Mecklenburg will extend a hearty welcome, and will show them the new roads of which they are justly proud. The Observer hopes to see here on that occasion the representatives of the press, the magistrates, county commissioners, road overseers, and representative citizens from each county—men who realize that better public highways is perhaps just now North Carolina's greatest economic need, and who are willing to work to bring about this greatest reform. Let all such constitute themselves delegates to this convention whether appointed or not. Come and see and hear and work, and before long we will have good roads all over North Carolina.

McBryde for the House.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Sept. 5, 1894.

MR. EDITOR:—Please allow me to call to the notice of your subscribers, and who are thinking of the next members of the House of Representatives, the name of B. T. McBryde, of Carver's Creek Township. It has never in times past been asked if he was "all right." His Democracy has been as clean as has his personal character. He has the education, the ability and the tact to make an effective canvass. His neighbors say, "everybody who knows him likes him." Nominate him, gentlemen: we will elect him. We will not be ashamed of him in the gates of the city of Raleigh. Who ever you nominate I am with you.

S. W. TILLINGHAST,
Cross Creek.

McIver's Sturdy Blows.

Aberdeen Telegram

There was a political speaking at Poplar Springs on last Friday. The speakers were D. E. McIver, of this place, and Mr. A. W. Wicker, of Chatham. Mr. Wicker had an appointment to meet the Populists there and organize a club. He offered to divide time with any one that might oppose the Populists. Mr. McIver accepted the challenge and so completely peeled the political hide off his opponent that he forgot all about his club and left without organizing it. He will probably not be so ready to tackle Moore county Democrats in the future.

The people quickly recognize merit, and this is the reason the sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla are continually increasing. Hood's is "on top."

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About two years ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism, was confined to my room for twelve weeks and during the time I was induced to try P. P. P., (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium), knowing that each ingredient was good for impurities of the blood, after using two small bottles I was relieved; at four different times since I have had slight attacks and I have each time taken two small bottles of P. P. P., and been relieved, and I consider it the best medicine of its kind.

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By virtue of an order of the Superior Court, I will at 12 o'clock on Saturday, September 29th, 1894, at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., expose to sale by public auction for cash, a tract of land about 3 to 3 miles north of Fayetteville on Cross Creek, containing 160 to 175 acres, being the land commonly known as "The John Buie Place."

Said sale is to make assets to pays debts, and is to be subject to approval of Court.

N. W. RAY, Commissioner.

Aug. 29, 1894—ts

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Mr. Wm. Weatherford

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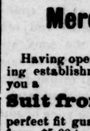

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E. J. HALE, Jr., General Business Manager.

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Schedule of Mails at Post Office, Fayetteville, N. C.

	Arrival.	Departure.	Cl'o'g of Mails.
C. A. C. L.			
North Bound,	10:25 a m	10:27 a m	9:57
North Bound,	9:30 p m	9:30 p m	9:00 p m
South Bound,	4:35 p m	4:35 p m	4:05 p m
South Bound,	12:51 a m	12:51 a m	9:00 p m
C. F. & Y. V. R. R.			
North Bound,	10:10 a m	10:27 a m	9:57 a m
South Bound,	4:25 p m	4:45 p m	4:15 p m
Bennett'le Div	9:55 a m	4:50 p m	4:29 p m
River Line,	Thurs & Sat.	Mon & Wed	
From Wilg'n	4:00 p m	8:00 a m	7:30 a m
Star Routes,	Wed & Sat	Tues & Fri	
Manly Mail,	6:00 p m	7:00 a m	6:30 a m
	Tuesday & Fri	Wed & Sat	
Lillington,	6:00 p m	6:00 a m	5:30 a m
	Tues, Thurs, Sat.	Tues, Thurs, Sat	
Edonia,	7:30 p m	7:00 a m	6:30 a m

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

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W. P. HARRISON & Co.—Electric Telephone.

The Republican County Convention will be held in this city on Saturday the 22d inst.

The Third Party hold their Judicial Convention in this city Thursday, the 20th of this month.

Mr. Frank Thornton has returned from the North where he has been purchasing his fall and winter stock. Mr. Thornton says that goods of all kinds are surprisingly cheap and that New York is crowded with Southern merchants.

A Raleigh newspaper, in publishing a letter from Cumberland Mills announcing the opening of the campaign there, locates that enterprising town, Cumberland county, and Mr. Shaw's constituency in the Sixth District.

Turn out for the Primary.

Let every Democrat turn out for the Township Primary called for to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The party is on its metal, and only the best men must be put in the field. Power begins in the Primary.

Up to Date.

The Fayetteville Cotton Seed Oil Mill is open for the season. It is equipped with new gins and other appurtenances, and we predict for the new manager, Mr. J. R. Williams, a more successful year even than any previous one.

Property Sale.

Be sure to attend the mortgage sale of land on Saturday, the 8th. This is a valuable city lot located on Lamon and North streets. Also on Saturday, the 15th, the house and lot on Wilmington Road, in lower Fayetteville, known as the McAllister lot. See advertisements for particulars and terms.

Mr. Shaw at Carthage.

The Carthage correspondent of the Aberdeen Telegram recently wrote that paper as follows:

Our nominee for Congress, John G. Shaw, made a good speech on August 15th, in the court house to a large crowd. I heard some say that he made a very fine impression.

Improvements.

Mr. David Ray has had the old Hiram Robinson house torn down, and is going to have a handsome dwelling erected in its stead.

Mr. Geo. Hall is having his house on Rowan street remodeled.

Mr. Robt. Ledbetter has purchased the Sedberry lot on Rowan street, upon which he will shortly erect a two story dwelling.

President of the State Fire Association.

Messrs. J. D. McNeill, Jno. Roddick and Isadore Rosenthal returned last Saturday from Winston, with glowing accounts of the Firemen's Convention. Our citizens, of course, rejoice in the election as President of the Association for the ensuing year of Capt. Jas. D. McNeill. We wish that our space would permit us to copy the pleasant things the Winston papers say of the new president and the Association.

Good Democratic Prospects.

"From all parts of this county," says the Pittsboro Record, "we hear most encouraging reports as to the political outlook. A strong Third party man, who has a great deal of influence, told us yesterday that he is now a Democrat like he used to be. And not only him, but I hear of others."

Major McKethan and others of our townsmen report similar experiences. With good, clean County tickets, the Democracy will do better than last year in this section.

Tillinghast—Stinson

The Charlotte Times of the 30th ult. thus refers to the marriage of Mr. Tillinghast, mentioned by us last week:

Mr. J. A. Tillinghast and his sister, from Raleigh, passed through the city Wednesday on their way to Davidson College, where Mr. Tillinghast and Miss Claude Stinson, of that place, will be married today. Mr. Tillinghast's father, who is a deaf mute, is a professor in the State Deaf and Dumb Institute in Raleigh, and Mr. Tillinghast himself leaves with his bride for Boulder, Mont., where he goes to accept the place of superintendent of the Montana Deaf and Dumb Institute, located at that place. He is a young man of unusually bright mind, a graduate of Davidson College from which institution, a year or so after graduating, he took the degree of Master of Arts, pursuing a course in English literature under Dr. W. S. Curell. He is rapidly making a name and place for himself in the land of opportunities, the far west, where he has labored for several years, and his success is gratifying to his many Tar Heel friends.

A Sad Death.

Miss Bertha May Willis, daughter of the Rev. R. A. Willis, died at the Methodist Parsonage in this city, Monday morning at 9:45 o'clock, after an illness of over two months. During her sickness she was surrounded by a household of loving relatives and friends who did all in their power to relieve her sufferings. She was born in Wilson, this State, May 9th, 1877. The funeral took place from the Hay Street Methodist Church Tuesday evening at 4 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. W. S. Rone, Presiding Elder of the Wilmington District, assisted by the Rev. T. H. Sutton, of this city.

The deceased, though young, had been a member of the Methodist Church for over six years. This young and beautiful girl had been among us for only a short while but in that time she made many warm friends, especially with the young people, to whom her death is indeed a sad blow. We in common with the whole community deeply sympathize with the bereaved family.

Populist County Convention.

The Third Party County Convention met in the F. I. L. I. Armory Monday noon. Mr. Thos. McLean, chairman of the County Executive Committee, called the convention to order. Mr. Cyrus Murphy, of Flea Hill, was made permanent chairman, and Mr. Duncan C. Downing, secretary. All the townships were represented except Little River. There was very little enthusiasm displayed, and from all indications we should say the People's Party is on the wane. Upon the fitness and principles of the gentlemen nominated the voters of this county will render an emphatic verdict in November next.

These were the nominations:

For the Senate, A. H. Slocomb. For the House, J. C. Currie, of Quewhiffle, and Z. Taylor, of Black River. For Sheriff, McDuffie Geddie, of Flea Hill. For Clerk of the Court, Cyrus Murphy, of Flea Hill. For Register of Deeds, Alex. McNeill, Black River. For Treasurer, G. W. Lawrence. For Surveyor, J. B. Downing, Cedar Creek. For Coroner, Dr. K. G. Everett, Beaver Dam.

Schools.

Yesterday the L. M. A. began its second year with an increased number of cadets, and more are arriving by every train. The professors are all on hand and ready for work.

If the opening of Mrs. Fannie Morrow's school is an indication of what it is to be at the height of the session, this excellent lady will have great cause to be proud of her success.

Miss Alice Mallett's fine school opened on Monday in the admirably arranged school house which she has just erected on Rowan Street. Miss Mallett is a teacher of rare merit, and she now has the assistance of Miss Marion Mallett, who has just returned from the University Training School.

Mrs. McNeill and Mrs. Utley's excellent school will open on the 10th instant, and will be noticed in the next issue of this paper.

Fayetteville is fast becoming an educational centre of no mean rank.

C. F. & Y. V. R. R.—Special Fares.

On account of the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows at Chattanooga, Tenn., September 17—22, the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. authorizes the sale of tickets from Fayetteville, $17.50; Sanford, $16.05; Maxton, $15.80; Wilmington, $18.25; Greensboro, $10.45. Tickets on sale from September 16th to 20th inclusive.

On account of the Baptist State Sunday School Convention at Charlotte, September 19—22, round trip tickets will sell from Fayetteville at $6.65; Sanford, $6.05.

On account of the North Carolina Road Improvement Association meeting at Charlotte, September 12—13, round trip tickets will sell from Fayetteville, $6.65; Greensboro, $4.45; Sanford, $6.05; Wilmington, $7.75.

Removal of Fuller to Richmond County.

Sheriff Smith left Tuesday evening with Mr. E. J. Fuller for Rockingham, where Fuller will await his trial on the 17th for the killing of Benj. F. Parker, on the 11th of August, 1893. It will be remembered that Fuller was granted a new trial by the Supreme Court. When his case came up again before Cumberland County Superior Court in July, he applied for a change of venue, which Judge Brown granted, setting the above date for the trial in the Richmond County Superior Court at Rockingham. The OBSERVER will have a special reporter at the trial, who will give to our readers the interesting happenings in this intensely interesting case.

Harnett Political Notes.

Our daughter, Harnett, has done herself honor in her wise choice of Hon. Dan. Hugh McLean for Senator and Mr. J. C. Williams for Representative in the next General Assembly. They will be triumphantly elected.

The following is the new Democratic Executive Committee for the County:

HARNETT COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

J. M. Davis, Chairman; H. T. Spears, Secretary; Jno. McArtan, Ed. Smith, J. A. Cameron, B. F. Williams, M. V. Prince, W. B. McKay, J. A. Smith, F. J. Swann, Dr. J. F. McKay, T. A. Harrington.

Make Way for the New.

The old octagonal church which stood at the foot of Haymount, and which has attracted the attention of many strangers, is no more. It was built about 1850 by a small congregation of Protestant Methodists under the pastorship, we think, of the Rev. Mr. Harris. This sect soon decreased in number, and finally disbanded. After that the building was occupied for a variety of purposes until the colored Presbyterians purchased it. This congregation have had it demolished, and propose building a more modern church.

Maj. W. A. Guthrie and wife arrived in the city Sunday. They were warmly welcomed by their hosts of friends, who still claim them as Fayettevillians. Mrs. Guthrie will remain in the city some time.

Commissioners' Court.

The Commissioners of Cumberland County met in regular session Monday, September 3rd, 1894, according to law. Present: J. M. Lamb, Chairman; M. Hall, G. W. Graham and G. A. McDonald.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ordered, that Evander McKinnon of 71st township be relieved of poll tax on account of infirmity.

Ordered, that James Elmore, Emily McDugald, Jack Robinson and Bethe Gillis were admitted to the home for the aged and infirm.

The Sheriff was allowed to correct the tax list of A. D. Bruington of Beaver Dam Township relieving him of 39 cts. tax.

The Clerk of the Superior Court was allowed to correct the Insolvent account in the case of State vs. C. S. Murphy.

Ordered, that the voting place of Flea Hill Township be changed from Geddie's Gin to Williams' Mill in said Township.

Ordered, that the voting place for Hale's school house precinct, Beaver Dam township, be changed from Hale's shop to to Hale's school house.

Ordered, that G. A. McDonald be appointed a committee of one to secure land and have suitable houses erected in such polling places as there are none, at as low a price as possible.

N. G. Wade, Esq., tendered his resignation as fence commissioner in Flea Hill township, which was accepted, and Josiah Cook appointed to fill the vacancy.

Lucian Herring was allowed license to peddle in Cumberland county free of tax.

On motion, the Board appointed the following delegates to attend the meeting of the North Carolina Road Improvement Association to be held in Charlotte, September 12th and 13th, Louis B. Hale, D. N. McLean, A. B. Williams, W. B. Draughon, H. E. Smith, W. H. H. Wade, Alex. Sessoms, James M. Jessup, L. A. Blue, S. J. Cameron, J. H. Smith, M. Hall, W. H. Marsh, J. M. Lamb.

C. J. Hedgepeth, Esq., was elected Standard Keeper for Cumberland county for two years from this date.

The Register of Deeds made his report for August, showing eight marriage licenses issued, and exhibited the Treasurer's receipt for County tax on same, which was filed.

H. L. Hall, Register of Deeds turned over to the Board the completed tax books of the county, and on motion the matter of turning the book over to the Sheriff for collection be postponed until September 15th, when an adjourned meeting of the Board will be held for that purpose.

The matters of supplying clothing for inmates of home for the aged and infirm and placing bulletin boards at the court house door were referred to the Chairman.

The Sheriff and Treasurer made their montly reports which were read and ordered filed.

The following were appointed Registrars of election for their respective precincts:

Cross Creek—D. N. McLean.
Black River—J. H. Ballance.
Flea Hill—W. H. H. Wade.
Blue's Sand Hill—W. C. Fields.
Cedar Creek—Alex. Thagard.
Hale's School House—J. W. Hall.
Jessup's Mills—Jasper D. Jessup.
Gray's Creek—Frank Marsh.
Hope Mills—A. A. Harrington, Jr.
Pearce's Mills—W. J. Ayer.
Ray's—D. B. Gillis.
Newton's—J. A. McPherson.
Quewhiffle—J. T. Sinclair.
Little River—J. H. Smith.
McKay's Store—J. C. Adams.
Kingsbury—W. B. Ray.
Eureka—G. A. McKay.

Democratic Club.

Pursuant to a call of the County Democratic Executive Committee published in the last issue of the OBSERVER, an enthusiastic meeting of Democrats took place in the City Hall on Tuesday night. Dr. W. C. McDuffie was called to the chair and Mr. D. McD. Grady requested to act as secretary. The Chairman stated that the object of the meeting was the formation of a Democratic Club. Capt. Jas. D. McNeill suggested that, as the work was chiefly to be performed by young men, one of Fayetteville's rising young lawyers, Mr. Sam. H. MacRae be elected President of the Club, and Mr. Geo. A. Burns nominated Mr. E. J. Hale, Junior, as Secretary. These gentlemen were unanimously elected, and the Club was organized for business.

On motion of Maj. McKethan the following were constituted a committee to draft by-laws and report at the next meeting: E. J. Hale, H. L. Cook, J. W. McNeill, W. D. Gaster and J. W. Maultsby. The appointment of various committees was postponed until next meeting, which was ordered for Tuesday next.

On taking the chair, Mr. MacRae made a ringing speech, reciting Republican and Populistic fallacies and Democratic performance of pledges. He exhorted the young Democracy to strenuous and united efforts.

The meeting broke up in fine spirits, after the enrollment of the following names:

Jas. D. McNeill, D. McD. Grady, Geo. A. Burns, S. W. Tillinghast, W. D. Gaster, Jas. Madison Johnson, John Roddick, R. S. McGeachey, S. H. MacRae, J. H. Benton, W. C. McDuffie, Sr., H. L. Cook, J. Vance McGougan, Herbert McDonald, Norman McL. Smith, John Evelyn, J. T. Matthews, John W. Maultsby, H. McGeachy, R. O. Whittaker, J. F. Goddard, W. M. Decker, W. A. McMillan, A. A. McKethan, Jr., Henry Ingram, W. H. Flowers, H. C. Smith, Will. Croswell, Theo. H. Whaley, J. W. Atkinson, A. B. Williams, Jr., L. B. Hale, A. S. Wightman, J. W. Hollingsworth, W. V. Hardin, A. H. Watson, Carl Ledbetter, E. J. Hale, T. H. Buckingham, J. H. Buckingham, A. B. Raiford, A. M. Campbell, Jr., W. J. Buckingham, D. C. Penfield, E. W. Boykin, J. W. McNeill, M. H. Starling, W. J. Ayer, Frank S. Maultsby, C. J. Hedgpeth, Jas. Kyle, E. E. Gorham, C. L. Campbell, Wm. R. Clark, J. F. Faircloth, G. H. Ingram.

The First Bale of Cotton.

The first new bale of cotton raised in Cumberland county, was ginned on the 31st of August by Haywood & McDaniel. It was from the farm of Mr. H. B. Everett, who moved from Lumber Bridge to this county last winter. The bale weighed 485 pounds and was bought by R. M. Nimocks for 6¢ cents.

People and their Movements.

Mr. Walker Hanks, of Charlotte, is in the city.

Mr. W. F. Leak is on a business trip North.

Capt. Chas. Elliott spent a few days at home this week.

We are glad to see Mr. Jno. Underwood out, after a severe attack of fever.

Mrs. Louis Erambert, of Norfolk, is on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Alderman.

Rev. J. H. Edwards is at home again much improved in health by a little vacation.

Mrs. Geo. Brandt and sister, Miss Helen Smith, are visiting relatives in Moore county.

Mrs. Sheetz and son, Edna, are visiting the former's brother, Dr. Bishop, in Washington.

Messrs. Chas. Ahearn and Geo. Overbaugh have returned from a trip to Washington City.

Miss Marion Mallett has returned to the city after a pleasant visit to relatives at Chapel Hill.

Mr. H. R. Horne is attending the meeting of the National Pharmaceutical Association in Asheville.

Miss Bertha Murphy, a sister of Capt. Murphy, of the L. M. A., is on a visit to Miss Laura Thomson on Haymount.

Capt. W. H. Pemberton and Mr. C. J. Ahearn both returned from Washington delighted at the great Pythian demonstration.

Misses Blanche and Lottie Thornton left yesterday for Winston-Salem, where they go to resume their studies at the Salem Female Academy.

Misses Mary MacRae and May Broadfoot left Monday for Bedford City, Virginia, on a visit to Mrs. Clayter. They expect to be gone several weeks.

Gen Gill on Crop Prospects.

The Baltimore Sun of recent date says:

Gen. John Gill, receiver of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad, returned Saturday from an inspection of the property. Mr. Gill says he traveled over two hundred miles of the road and found a gratifying improvement in its physical condition and in traffic prospects. He says he never saw better crop prospects than appear along the line he went over. Conditions have been favorable to growing crops and the outlook for a big yield of cotton and tobacco is encouraging. Mr. Gill says the general manager of the railroad property anticipates that the company will haul 70,000 bales of cotton this year, against 45,000 last year.

Died at 106.

Says the Carthage Blade:

Old Aunt Jenny Tyson, the mother of Adam and Joe Tyson, two of our best and most worthy colored citizens, died last Thursday morning at the great age of 106. She was said to be a very remarkable woman, and knew a great deal of the ancient history of this section. She nursed the late Thomas B. Tyson, Esq., when he was a baby, and was a grown woman then. She was truly an ancient landmark.

Capt. James McGilvary informs us that "Old Aunt Jenny Tyson" was for many years a worthy servant in his family and nursed all of his children.

Attempted Assassination of D. A. McDougald.

Daniel A. McDougald, whose trial in this city for the murder of his uncle, Simeon Conoly, attracted so much attention some years ago, came near losing his life Monday night at the hands of an assassin. A correspondent of the Wilmington Star says:

McDougald was sitting on the piazza at the old Conoly homestead, about eighteen miles from Laurinburg, when he was fired upon by an unknown party with a gun loaded with mixed shot. Several shot of different sizes struck McDougald in the head and neck. He went immediately to his home, at Laurinburg, where the shot were extracted by Dr. Prince. His wounds are not dangerous. There is a suspicion as to who fired the shot, but no positive evidence.

Myrover for Register.

We hear that Mr. Hall, who has filled the office of Register of Deeds for two terms with credit to himself and to the entire satisfaction of the public, is not an active candidate for renomination, and we therefore endorse for Register of Deeds J. H. Myrover, Esq. He is too well known to require any introduction, having stood to the Democratic rack, without fodder, during and since the dark days of reconstruction, carpet-bag supremacy, &c. No man in this community has done as much or as valuable work for the party as Mr. Myrover. High praise this, but well deserved. His desire to remain at home among us has overcome his modesty, and he asks us for our support. Let us give it to him gladly, and enthusiastically nominate and elect him—and for once rise above the level of party politics and reward the man.

DEMOCRAT.

For Delegates to the County Convention.

The following Ticket will be offered to the voters of Cross Creek Township on Friday night as one properly qualified to represent them in the County Convention on the 13th. They are unpledged and will act only as they think best for the County, State and the Democratic party:

Delegates—A. B. Williams, J. A. Burns, I. W. Clark, C. B. McMillan, A. A. McKethan, B. R. Taylor, H. R. Novitsky, W. F. Campbell, J. N. Emmitt, W. D. Gaster, E. E. Gorham, D. R. Huffines, J. E. Garrett, S. W. Tillinghast, W. H. Powell, D. P. Williams, J. G. Hollingsworth, W. S. Cook, J. M. Wright, G. M. Rose, E. L. Clark, John Roddick, G. A. Burns, D. A. McMillan, J. H. Monaghan, W. W. Huske, E. J. Hale, F. S. Maultsby, E. L. Pemberton, W. G. Hall, R. O. Whitaker, Chas. Haigh, Q. K. Nimocks, W. V. Holden, W. H. Flowers, J. C. Vann, H. L. Cook, R. F. Amos, N. A. Sinclair, J. A. Nicholson, C. M. Watson, J. C. Haigh, B. R. Huske.

Alternates—J. D. McNeill, C. H. McLaughlin, G. G. Myrover, J. A. Pemberton, Sr., Chas. Glover, A. S. Huske, J. B. Tillinghast, Joseph Atkins, T. H. Whaley, R. W. Powers, S. H. Strange, N. W. Ray, H. R. Horne, E. C. Smith, A. P. Johnson, C. P. Overby, J. B. Starr, C. B. Ledbetter, W. F. Leak, W. B. Johnson, W. C. McDuffie, Sr., H. E. Sheetz, W. M. Martin, R. Strange, James Kyle, J. D. Brown, J. A. Sikes, H. McD. Robinson, W. B. Whitehead, Walter Watson, J. H. Marsh, B. E. Sedberry, R. M. Prior, J. W. Hollingsworth, Needham Ingram, J. H. Buckingham, J. T. Denny, M. McI. Matthews, G. A. Overbaugh, B. F. Beasley, F. W. Thornton, Jr., C. J. Hedgepeth, W. C. Holland.

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The Stockholders of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company will meet in Annual Meeting in Fayetteville October 3rd, 1894.

W. A. LASH, Pres't.
JNO. M. ROSE, Sec'y 9-6-94 3t

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The undersigned announces himself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Cumberland County—subject, of course, to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

August 30—3t] J. H. MYROVER.

To the Gas Consumers of Fayetteville.

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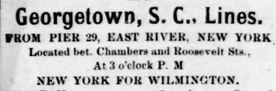

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A DAY BY THE SEA.

BY CHARLOTTE HURT.

Although our Old North State is bordered on the East by the grand old Atlantic, there may be some, even yet, who have taken neither time nor opportunity to visit it. So, for the benefit of such, I will try to describe a day spent by the sea.

During the last, long, sultry days of June, a Sunday school pic-nic, to be spent at Ocean View, was proposed by some of our best people. So it was arranged, and early one morning the train pulled out from one of our historic old towns laden with a bright, cheerful throng, thoroughly intent on a day given to recreation and pleasure. In view of the day's warmth, all were dressed suitably for the occasion, in true pic-nic style, and surrounded by cheerfulness on every side, the long trip proved a most pleasant one. At last the terminus of the road was reached, and the Cape Fear River lay before us to be crossed, the old boat *Compton* ready and waiting for her burden of human freight.

It is quite amusing on such occasions, for, even among the best—self—will come out more than usually prominent, and the desire, to be among the first, seems to be the one desire of life. Then, too, as there seemed to be an impression the boat would not return for those who might be left, all resolved to get on board, "swim or sink, live or die;" and, really, we felt by no means sure of the result, for the old boat actually groaned beneath her burden as she plowed out, puffing and blowing.

The scene remined one of the notable entering of Noah's Ark, only in this case it was by no means two and two, but by the dozen. At last, in safety, we reached the Wilmington wharf, and, when the gang-plank was thrown out, here we all went—pell-mell, helter-skelter—ministers, deacons, elders, superintendents, teachers and friends—a scramble for the street-car that would convey us to the next train, whose remaining nine miles would land us by the sea.

Leaving Wilmington, the excitement increased as the miles were measured off. First came the Hammocks, a beautiful resort, where the long, flowing, silvery gray moss droops in lovely festoons from every tree. Next, came Wrightsville Sound, which boasts of a magnificent hotel, which, with its beautiful scenery, its many and varied amusements, are sufficient reasons for its being crowded with guests.

But, we were not to stop here. Over the railroad trestle that spans the Sound, we slowly move, and it's then there opens to your eager, wondering view a grandly sublime, never-to-be-forgotten scene: your first, delighted view of the constantly-rising, high-topped, white-crested breakers of the mighty rolling deep. Soon after, we reach our destination—Ocean View. Here, in the cool, breezy pavilion, we first feast our fascinated eyes—standing in silent awe—in sublime adoration, in full view of the wonderful, deep, dark-blue ocean.

It would be difficult to describe the sensation that thrills one when for the first time one's eyes behold the raging, boundless sea. Oh, how insignificant one feels in full view of this most wonderful declaration of a Mighty, Omnipotent Hand!

The Ocean—how impossible to describe! How wonderful! How mighty! How majestically beautiful, with its ever-rearing, never-ending, white-capped breakers! The surging, rolling deep, "whose waves mount up to the heavens, and go down again to the depths." Whose fierce rage only one voice can still. The same as when pronounced good in the second day of creation. The one thing in which the hand of man or art can make no change. Surging, heaving, dashing. Yet, still obeying the Divine command: "So far shalt thou go, and no further." You would feel a fear, were it not for the conviction of these words, as you stand with the constant rush of the waves, the constant thud of the breakers upon the beach. Neither could there be a possibility for a rational human being to stand here, and in his heart, doubt the wisdom, knowledge and might of the "Power behind the Throne."

Here at Ocean View, which is one of the resorts of the Atlantic Coast, you will find many cottages, either occupied by the owners, or rented to others, who wish to spend a few months in the bracing salt-sea-breeze. Here, also, will be found hotels—or rather restaurants—where you will find abundance of fish, clams, crabs and oysters. Also, at different stands, refreshments. At others, all kinds of beautiful shells, coral and sea-weed.

In the afternoon we began to miss our friends, only to see them appear a short time later, fully equipped for a bath in the tempting surf. To see one at any other place but the Beach, arrayed in a bathing suit (such as are prepared promiscuously, and let at a quarter each) would be frightful in the extreme. Here, even, it is often ludicrous; but, "when you are in Rome, you can do as Rome does," and, where all are ridiculous alike, certainly no one can laugh at his neighbor.

Bathing is a most delightful sport, and one, too, that proves most wonderfully contageous. How delighted and full of glee they all seem; how irresistable their merry peals of laughter! Soon we, too, were among the missing, and when we appeared each arrayed in a most bewitching (?) costume, I know our dear, dignified aunt (who was our especial chaperone) was shocked nearly speechless, when she caught sight of her two nieces. But she kindly said nothing to dampen us, leaving that part to the waves.

Soon after reaching the surf a gentleman friend came to offer his masculine aid, and as one was not sufficient for us both, kindly called up the assistance of the very dignified photographer of our city (whom I had not met) and surprised me by attempting a most ceremonious introduction. The gentleman in question made a most elaborate and handsome bow (considering the very peculiar cut of his coat), which I in return determined to equal, if not eclipse, and like Sarmantha at the World's Fair, when presented to some Duke, "thought I'de curtshie just right, about fourteen inches," but a very unexpected and impolite wave came along just then and sat me down about five feet instead, which caused a hearty laugh. As soon as I could dispense with the deluge of salt-water in eyes and mouth, I very splutteringly remarked that "I considered that a very novel introduction, to say the least," which caused another laugh, and put us all at our ease. Then came the delightful sport—up to your throat in the surf, jumping the playful, bounding waves that dance and break on the beach. But you find it tiresome, and after some time we concluded to go out farther on the beach, and sit down for a rest. Even here, the playful waves found us, and in spite of our determination to sit still, our desperate effort to cling to the sand, the spiteful waves would persist in carrying us out, and leave us sitting "high and—wet," on the beach. But, it's all delightful sport, and it's with sincere regret we note the time to leave the surf. When you reach your tiny 5x5 dressing-room, you take a fresh shower-bath. Then, after making your toilet, how cool and refreshed you feel! I doubt any other than a genuine sea-bath leaving one feeling more exhilerated and bright.

Those who have never yet spent a delightful "day by the sea," I would certainly urge to go, feeling sure you would never regret either time or money. In the time spent there you might possibly find experiences, as well as pleasures, many and varied, and crowned with memories never to be forgotten. I very strangely and most vividly remember the experience of a lady during her first visit to the sea, that I will state: She was passionately fond and a most ardent admirer of all kinds of relics, especially historical, and being a kind-hearted creature, (remembering she had two little nieces far away who had never visited nor beheld the great briny deep) she, in her great kindness of heart, determined to secure a bottle of the "genuine salt-sea-water" to take back to them as a memento and inspiration. So, as the tide was coming in, she slyly secured her bottle and tripped down to the beach. For a moment she stood and watched the incoming waves, but the tide didn't seem to be coming in very fast, as the waves seemed to come only just so far, and no farther. So, tripping on still, to the edge of the last, she sat down and waited. But, it seemed to her, surely the tide was of all things most uncertain, for the next came not—near so far. Not wishing in any way to attract attention, she at last concluded to make the work short, and the prize sure, by going on still to the edge of the last modest wave. So, tripping quickly on, in joyful anticipation, she pictured to herself how easily and quickly she would now return with her coveted prize. Down she sat again. This time in real earnest. Complacently she embedded her little bottle in the damp sand, inclining it just to the forty-fifth degree, and, gently holding the cork aloof in her left hand, just ready to secure the prize, she patienly prepared to wait. But, lo and behold, before she had time to blink, here came a wave that seemed to her astonished eyes mountain high, and, snatching both bottle and cork, floated them in different directions, and rushing on at least twelve feet behind her, left her sitting (not in the ashes) but in the water and sand, moaning her loss, with only a lingering memory and regret for what "might have been," and, "of a dream that never came true." Well, when the wave receded for a moment, she felt a most blood-thirsty desire for revenge on the lashing, spiteful sea. But, as the tide slowly retreated, the ludicrous side struck her, for the sly, retreating wave actually looked to be laughing in its sleeve at the ridiculous idea of being caught in a bottle. So with her means of capture gone, and for fear of another breaker, what could the poor unfortunate do, but retreat backwards too, as fast as her rather damp boots and clinging draperies would permit?

Well, its an old adage that says: "Time and tide waits for no man" (nor woman either) as I found to my sorrow, for the above desperate effort for "woman's rights" to a gill of sea-water, was no less than the very distressing and discouraging experience of your humble servant. And, while I must confess the result quite dampening, temporarily, it proved by no means permanent, for, still above all else, I feel a most heartfelt and sublime admiration and adoration for the great rolling deep; and, above all other wondrous scenes, give me the wonderful deep, dark-blue ocean. I really think there must be a spice of the sailor about me, for the longing described by the poet always finds an echo:

"A life on the Ocean wave,
A home on the rolling deep,
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A. H. SLOCOMB,
8-9-94 4t Mortgagee.

Notice of Sale under Mortgage.

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by Nathan McAllister and wife which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book R, No. 4, Page 4 4, the following property will be exposed to sale by public auction, viz: House and Lot on east side of Wilmington Road in lower Fayetteville, known as *"The J. H. McAllister Lot,"* bounded as in deed to said Nathan McAllister, Book "P," No 4, page 293.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville. N. C. Time of sale: Saturday, Sept. 15, 1894, at 1 o'clock. Terms of sale: Cash.

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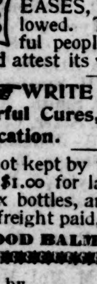

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Leave Wilmington,	7:00 a. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	10:10 "
Leave Fayetteville,	10:27 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction,	10:30 "
Leave Sanford,	11:48 "
Leave Climax,	1:46 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	2:16 "
Leave Greensboro,	2:55 "
Leave Stokesdale,	3:48 "
Arrive Walnut Cove,	4:20 "
Leave Walnut Cove,	4:33 "
Leave Rural Hall,	5:01 "
Arrive Mt. Airy,	6:25 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 1, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Mt. Airy,	9:45 a. m.
Leave Rural Hall,	11:06 "
Arrive Walnut Cove,	11:35 "
Leave Walnut Cove,	11:42 "
Leave Stokesdale,	12:07 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	12:55 "
Leave Greensboro,	1:02 "
Leave Climax,	1:30 "
Leave Sanford,	3:17 "
Arrive Fayetteville Junction,	4:28 "
Arrive Fayetteville,	4:34 "
Leave Fayetteville,	4:45 "
Arrive Wilmington,	7:55 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 4, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Bennettsville,	7:15 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	8:13 "
Leave Red Springs,	8:50 "
Leave Hope Mills,	9:39 "
Arrive Fayetteville,	10:00 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 3, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Fayetteville,	4:42 p. m.
Leave Hope Mills,	5:05 "
Leave Red Springs,	5:53 "
Leave Maxton,	6:27 "
Arrive Bennettsville,	7:30 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16, Mixed, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Ramseur,	6:50 a. m.
Leave Climax,	8:40 "
Arrive Greensboro,	9:25 "
Leave Greensboro,	9:40 "
Leave Stokesdale,	10:53 "
Arrive Madison	11:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15, Mixed, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Madison,	12:30 p. m
Leave Stokesdale,	1:25 "
Arrive Greensboro,	2:35 "
Leave Greensboro,	3:00 "
Leave Climax,	3:55 "
Arrive Ramseur,	5:35 "

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Trains No. 2 and 4 connect at Fayetteville Junction with the Atlantic Coast Line for all points North and East. Train No. 2 connects at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, North and South bound, and at Greesboro with the Richmond & Danville R. R., North and South bound, and at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk & Western R. R. for Winston Salem. Train No. 16 connects at Madison with the Norfolk & Western R. R. for Roanoke and all points North and West

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED July 8, 1894	No. 23, Daily.	No. 35, Daily.	No. 41, Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Weldon..	11 52	9 27	
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 02	10 20	
Arrive Tarboro..	2 40		
Leave Tarboro..	12 25		
Lv Rocky Mount	1 02	10 20	6 00
Leave Wilson...	2 08	11 01	
Leave Selma....	2 58		
Lv. Fayetteville	4 35	12 51	
Arrive Florence	7 25	3 00	

	No. 47 Daily.		
	P. M.		A. M.
Leave Wilson...	2 18		6 35
Leave Goldboro.	3 05		7 20
Leave Magnolia.	4 16		8 29
Ar. Wilmington.	5 50		10 60
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED July 8, 1894.	No. 78, Daily.	No. 32, Daily.	No. 40, Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	
Leave Florence.	7 30	7 25	
Lv. Fayetteville	10 25	9 30	
Leave Selma....	12 08		
Arrive Wilson..	1 (0	11 27	

	No. 48 Daily.		
	A. M.		P. M.
Lv. Wilmington.	9 00		7 00
Leave Magnolia	10 40		8 33
Leave Goldsboro	11 55		9 40
Arrive Wilson..	12 40		10 27

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Leave Wilson...	1 10	11 27	10 32
Ar Rocky Mount	2 13	12 05	11 15
Arrive Tarboro.	2 40		
Leave Tarboro..	12 25		
Lv Rocky Mount	2 13	12 05	
Arrive Weldon..	3 19	12 5?	
	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.

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Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7:00 A. M., arrives Parmele 8:40 A. M., Tarboro 9:50 A M; returning leaves Tarboro 4:50 P M, Parmele 6:10 P. M., arrives Washington 7:35 P. M. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, daily except Sunday at 5:00 P M, Sunday 3:00 P M; arrives Plymouth 9:00 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 6:00 A M, Sunday 9:30 A M, arrive Tarboro 10:25 A M, and 11:45 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday, 6:05 A M, arriving Smithfield 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield 8:00 A. M; arrive Goldsboro 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4:30 P M, arrives Nashville 5:05 P M, Spring Hope 5:30 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8:00 A M, Nashville 8:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 9:05 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Trains on Latta Branch Florence R R leave Latta 6:50 P M; arrive Dunbar 8:00 P M. Returning leave Dunbar 6:30 A M; arrive Latta 8:00 A M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 4:10 P M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 7:20 A M., connecting at Warsaw with main line trains.

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Year.	Bales.	Year.	Bales.
1877,	4,485,423	1885,	5,669,021
1878,	4,811,265	1886,	6,550,215
1879,	5,073,531	1887,	6,513,624
1880,	5,757,397	1888,	7,017,707
1881,	6 589,329	1889,	6,935 082
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